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Trevor:

August 14th does not work for two reasons. First, we need this information sooner, which is why we originally scheduled his deposition in May. Please provide a date so we can did this done quicker. Second, the proposed date conflicts with attorney assignments on this end for Dr. Welch's deposition that is scheduled for the same day.

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Nicole,

In accordance with the email Mr. Garren sent Mr. Bond, Mr. Parrott is available on August 14th to continue his depo. Please let me know if that date works for you guys.

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07/10/2008 09:03 AM

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Trevor,

Please provide me dates that Mr. Parrott will be available for this deposition.

Thanks,

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Nicole,

Without receding from our view that Mr. Parrott was properly prepared, we will present Mr. Parrot for the topics listed below in your email without limitation as to time.

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Trevor,

I understand, but disagree with the State's position, and I appreciate the State's willingness to put forth Mr. Parrott again in light of what we view as a lack of preparedness. However, I want to be clear here. Is the State committing to having Mr. Parrott come to the subsequent deposition prepared to give testimony on about pollutant loading, SSO's (which include both overflows and bypasses), and bio-solid application in the Illinois River Watershed for the full time period the state has records? This is the question we need answered in order to avoid the filing our Motion to Compel on this issue. Please provide me vour response by 3:00 p.m. today.

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Ms. Longwell:

The State strongly disagrees with your assertion that Mr. Parrott was not prepared to testify during the 30(b)(6) deposition. As discussed previously, Mr. Parrott was prepared to respond to your questions if he would have been given the opportunity to review the files in the room with him. It is unrealistic and unduly burdensome to expect a deponent to have all information at his recall, especially when you have asked overly broad, highly technical and sweeping questions. Mr. Parrott was fully prepared to respond to all questions and in fact we gave you over an additional hour in which to examine Mr. Parrott.

However, in order to move this process forward and not conceding our strongly held position that Mr. Parrot was fully prepared, we our offering to put Mr. Parrot up to testify about pollutant loading, SSO's, and bio-solid application in the Illinois River Watershed. We do not anticipate that it will take more than four (4) hours to depose Mr. Parrot on these matters. We are open to reevaluating the amount of time after the 4 hours has been used, however a full day of depo testimony is not anticipated.

Sincerely,

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Trevor

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